

**celebrating
the life of**



**Elijah
TERRELL HORTON**

Alpha October 14, 1999 – Omega September 20, 2021

Saturday, October 2, 2021

11am Visitation

12 Noon Worship Service

St. Luke CME Church

2008 Ed Temple Blvd., Nashville, TN 37208

Dr. Ronald Powe ~ Officiating and Presiding Elder

Bishop Henry M. Williamson Sr., Prelate, First Episcopal District

ORDER OF SERVICE

REMEMBERING ELIJAH

PRECIOUS MEMORIES

A young man with glasses is seated on a black piano bench, playing a dark-colored upright piano. He is wearing a light-colored long-sleeved shirt and dark trousers. The background is a soft, out-of-focus indoor setting. Three large, stylized black musical notes are floating in the air: a quarter note in the upper left, a treble clef in the upper right, and an eighth note in the center. In the bottom right corner, there is a large, stylized black musical symbol that resembles a double colon followed by a curved line.

PSALMS 150

Praise the Lord.

Praise God in his sanctuary

Praise him in his mighty heavens

Praise him for his acts of power

Praise him for his surpassing greatness

Praise him with sounding of the trumpet

Praise him with harp and lyre

Praise him with the strings and pipe

Praise him with the clash of cymbals,

Praise him with resounding cymbals

Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.

Praise the Lord.

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Prelude – Glory By John Legend Featuring Common

Processional – Clergy & Family

Musical Selection – John L. Glenn Choir

Prayer – Blake Dean

Affirmation Of Faith

Scripture Readings

Psalms 150 Rev. Daryl A. Ballard, II
Jeremiah 29:11-12 Breanna Norman

Musical Selection – John L. Glenn Choir

Poem – Evelyn Janean Mitchell

Video Presentation

Personal Expressions (Two Minutes Please)

Reading Of The Obituary - Dr. Candra C. Clariette

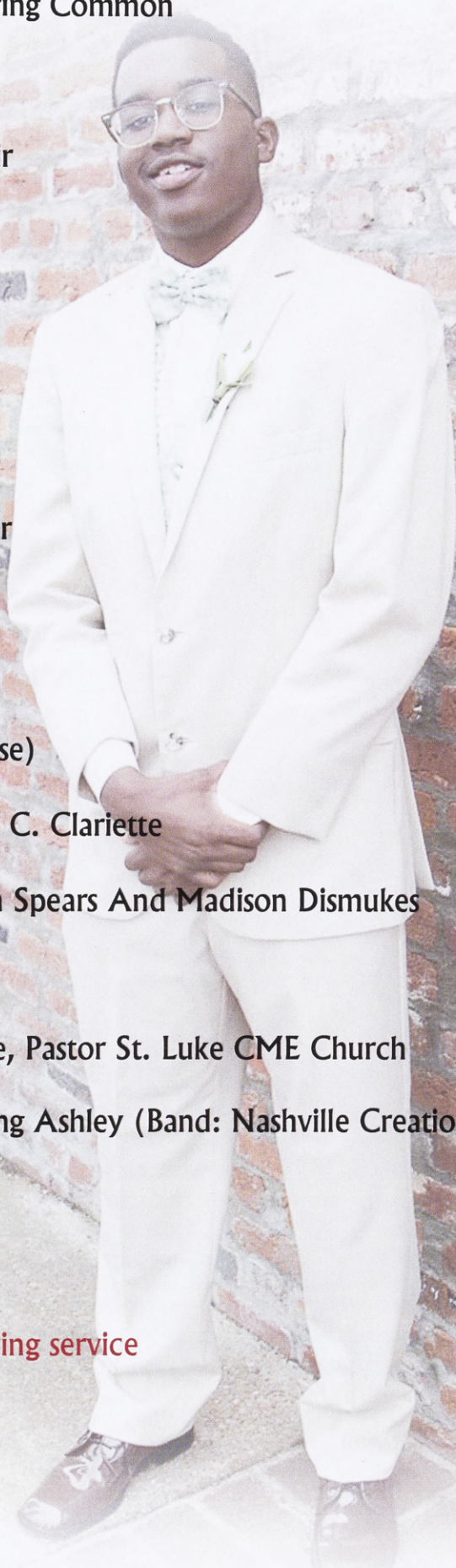
Acknowledgements Of Love – Lucyjean Spears And Madison Dismukes

Solo – Crystal Miller

Celebration Message – Dr. Ronald Powe, Pastor St. Luke CME Church

Recessional – “TRUTH” JYOU Featuring Ashley (Band: Nashville Creations)

Private family repass immediately following service



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"Dare to Be Different"

Elijah Terrell Horton whose name was given to him in honor of his late grandfather, Elijah James Washington Jr., was born on Thursday, October 14, 1999 to loving parents, Kanika Washington and Reginald Horton in Nashville, Tennessee. Elijah brought much joy to both families.

Elijah began his learning experience in the home of Mrs. Barbara Vaughn who cared for Elijah until he began his formal education at Schrader Lane Child Care Center. He was promoted to Sylvan Park Paideia Design Elementary School where Elijah published his first book entitled, "School Day". Sylvan Park is the place where his mother and grandmother walked into his classroom on his birthday with the gift of a new pug puppy that he subsequently named Sandy.

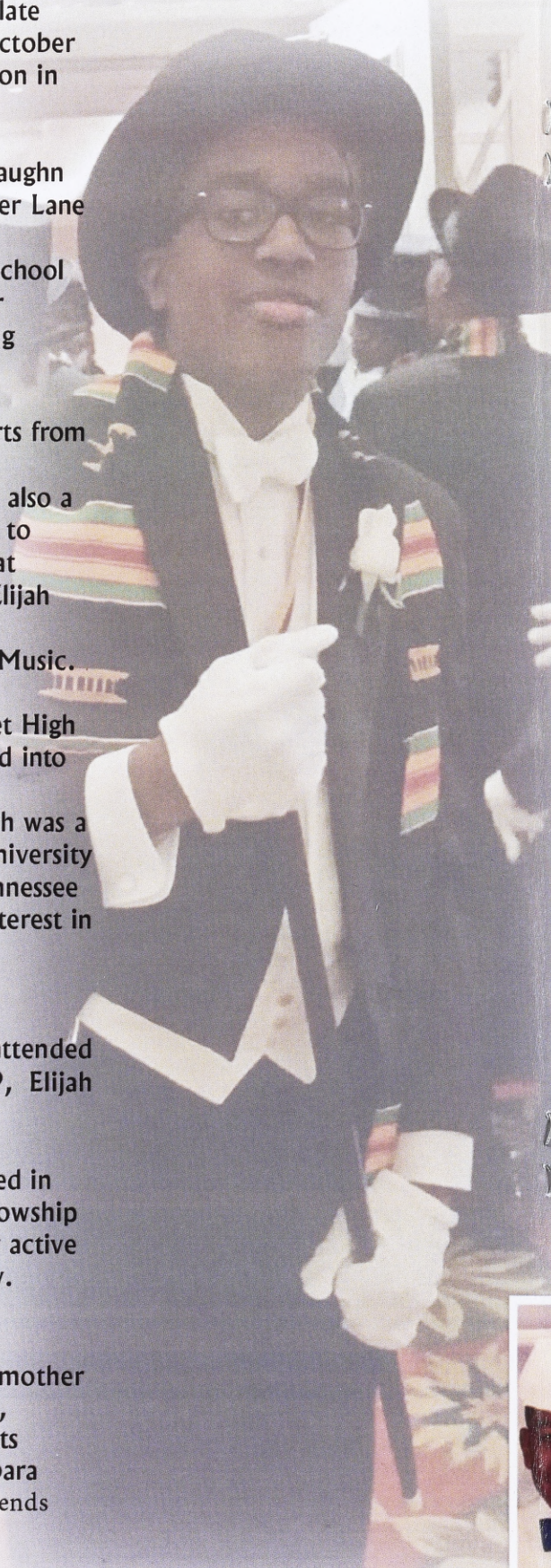
Elijah was a huge fan of the Tennessee Titans! He played many sports from elementary through high school, such as Bordeaux Eagles football, basketball, ice hockey, golf, wrestling and track and field. Elijah was also a natural musician and played several instruments from the age of six to twenty-one. Elijah's love for music landed him playing instruments at church, during middle school, high school, and post high school. Elijah developed a psuedo name, FSO Ebandz producing multiple albums available on all music platforms, Sound Cloud, Spotify, and Apple Music.

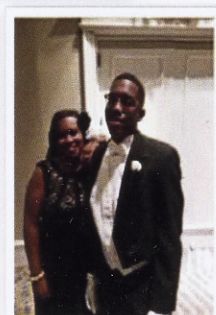
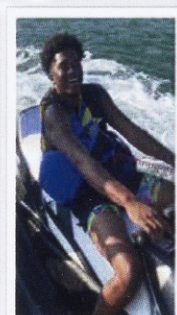
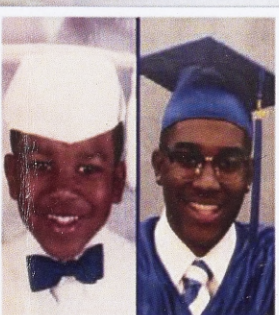
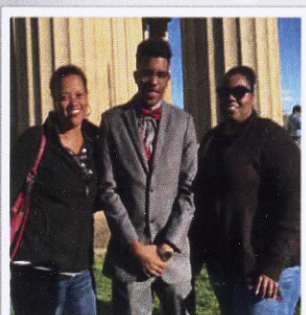
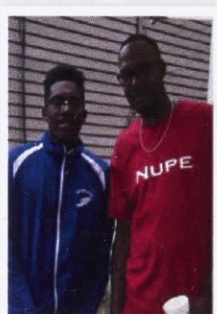
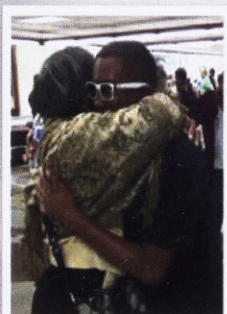
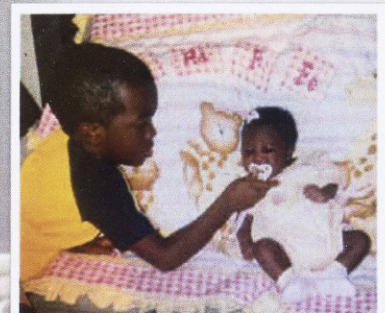
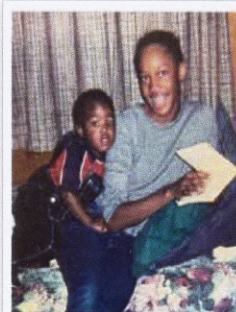
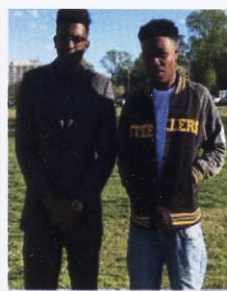
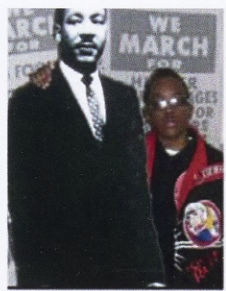
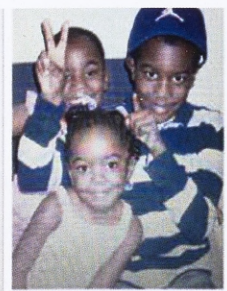
Elijah graduated from Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Academic Magnet High School in 2017. During these high school years Elijah was inducted into Top Teens of America, serving as the treasurer. He was also a 'Young Man of Distinction' in the 2015 and 2017 Beautillion. Elijah was a summer scholar in the Minority Engineering Program at Purdue University in Indiana, eVOL 10 Engineering Program at the University of Tennessee Knoxville, the P.E.P.S.I.E (Pre-Engineering Program to Stimulate Interest in Engineering) as well as a scholar at the College of Agriculture Apprenticeship in 2017 and 2018 at Tennessee State University.

Upon graduating from high school, Elijah was accepted and attended North Carolina A&T State University for two years. In 2019, Elijah returned to Nashville and enrolled in Tennessee State University.

Elijah was a proud member of St. Luke CME Church where he served in many capacities; served on the Usher Board, Christian Youth Fellowship (CYF) treasurer, dance team, played and taught drums and was very active in many other aspects of the church. Elijah was baptized by Dr. Rev. Ronald Powe and remained faithful until he transitioned.

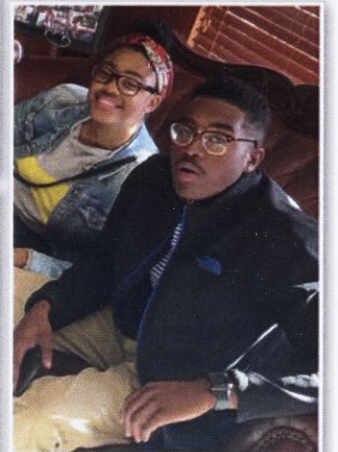
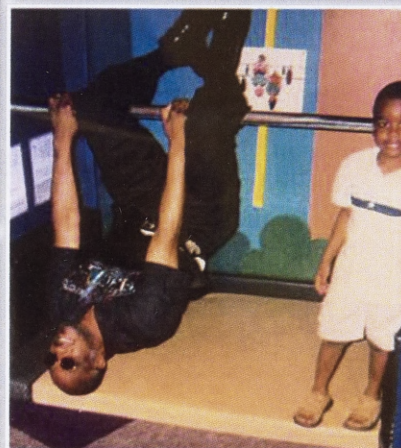
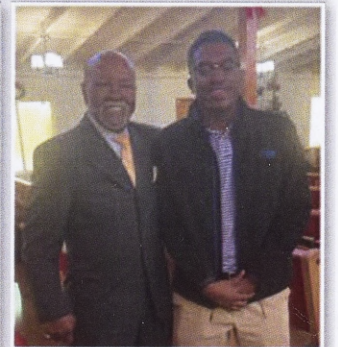
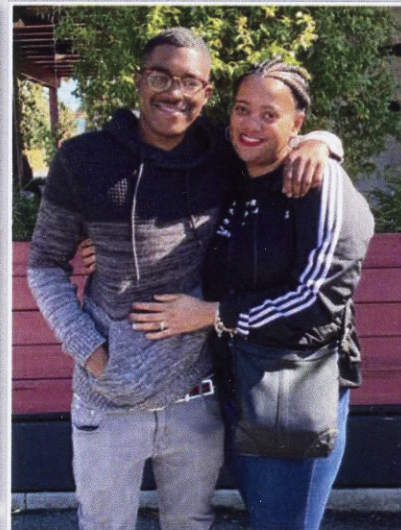
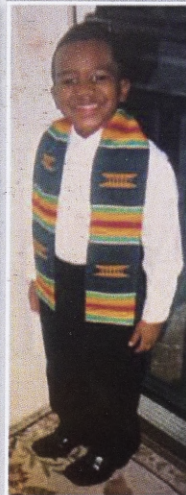
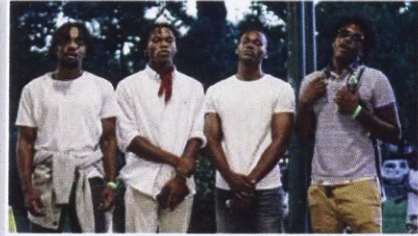
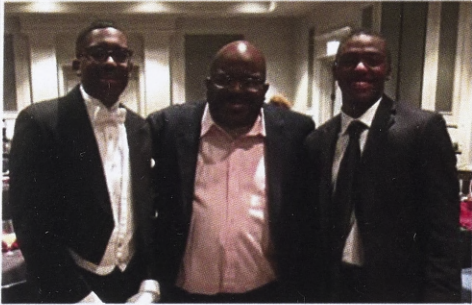
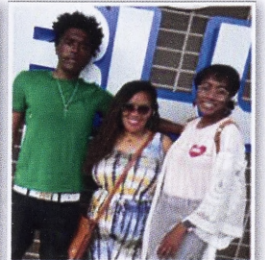
Elijah Terrell Horton leaves to cherish his memories with his loving mother Kanika Washington-Sanchez, his stepfather Jose Sanchez, his father, Reginald Horton, stepmother, Latesia Horton, maternal grandparents Fredrick and Michele Jackson, paternal grandparents Larry and Barbara Horton, four sisters, two nieces, one nephew, a host of relatives, friends and the St. Luke family.





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A Life in Pictures

The collage consists of 30 individual photographs. The top row features a man in a white shirt and bow tie, a family portrait with a graduate in a blue cap and gown, two men in suits, two men in casual wear, and a group of men in athletic gear. The second row shows two men in suits, a family portrait with a man in a 'HAWKS' shirt, a man in a green shirt, two men in suits, and a group of men in suits. The third row includes a man in a red shirt, a family portrait, a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a woman in a red shirt, and a group of people. The fourth row shows a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, and a man in a suit. The fifth row features a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, and a man in a suit. The sixth row includes a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, and a man in a suit. The seventh row shows a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, and a man in a suit. The eighth row features a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, and a man in a suit. The ninth row includes a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, and a man in a suit. The tenth row shows a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, a man in a suit, a group of people, and a man in a suit.



Active pallbearers

Mark Jones
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Kim Jones
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Ronnie Jones Jr.

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St. Luke Usher Board

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Diamond Williams
Imani Jones
Sydney Everett

Kaylin Davidson
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Special Thanks & acknowledgments

The Family of Elijah Terrell Horton wishes to express our profound appreciation for the outpouring of love and care given to us during this time of bereavement. To the St. Luke family and others, your visits, cards, calls, texts, emails, but especially the prayers have blessed us and we know that the Lord will keep us in His loving care.



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